

DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Drug Enforcement Administration

Importer of Controlled Substances Application: Noramco, Inc.

[Docket No. DEA-392]

ACTION: Notice of application.

DATES: Registered bulk manufacturers of the affected basic classes, and applicants therefore, may file written comments on or objections to the issuance of the proposed registration in accordance with 21 CFR 1301.34(a) on or before [INSERT 30 DAYS AFTER PUBLICATION IN THE FEDERAL REGISTER]. Such persons may also file a written request for a hearing on the application pursuant to 21 CFR 1301.43 on or before [INSERT 30 DAYS AFTER PUBLICATION IN THE FEDERAL REGISTER].

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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

The Attorney General has delegated her authority under the Controlled Substances

Act to the Administrator of the Drug Enforcement Administration (DEA), 28 CFR

0.100(b). Authority to exercise all necessary functions with respect to the promulgation
and implementation of 21 CFR part 1301, incident to the registration of manufacturers,
distributors, dispensers importers, and exporters of, controlled substances (other than
final orders in connection with suspension, denial, or revocation of registration) has been
redelegated to the Assistant Administrator of the DEA Diversion Control Division

("Assistant Administrator") pursuant to section 7 of 28 CFR part 0, appendix to subpart

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In accordance with 21 CFR 1301.34(a), this is notice that on October 14, 2016, Noramco, Inc., 1440 Olympic Drive, Athens, Georgia 30601 applied to be registered as an importer of the following basic classes of controlled substances:

Controlled Substance	Drug Code	Schedule
Phenylacetone	8501	II
Thebaine	9333	II
Poppy Straw Concentrate	9670	II
Tapentadol	9780	II

The company plans to import thebaine derivatives (9333) as reference standards. The company plans to import an intermediate form of tapentadol (9780) to bulk manufacture tapentadol for distribution to its customers. The company plans to import phenylacetone (8501) and poppy straw concentrate (9670) to manufacture other controlled substances.

Dated: December 19, 2016

Louis J. Milione,

Assistant Administrator.

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